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I want to encourage zoning and I agree with Senator Schimek. This will encourage them, right? Move the date up here, get them going on it. And she's right, will the world come to an end in six months, no, the world won't come to an end if we don't adopt this here, the Kremer amendment, or if we will. The world will not come to an end. I might come to an end, but the world won't. But any...you'd probably be happy with that. But anyway, let's...let's encourage zoning, let's encourage it. Let's move the date up here to January and get on with it. County boards need to do it, get their act together, and they are getting their act together. So thank you very much.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Senator Dierks.

SENATOR DIERKS: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. I am wondering about this...some of the comments I've heard. Somebody said something about there being danger on the horizon, and I'm trying to figure out what that danger is. I wonder if I could have a little conversation with Senator Schimek, please.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Schimek, would you yield?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: I don't know. I'm a little nervous about this, Cap. (Laugh) Senator.

SENATOR DIERKS: Senator Schimek, I guess that I've had the opinion for a number of years that most of my constituents really don't want government breathing all over them. They'd like to make these decisions in their own good time. And I'm wondering what the hurry is for government to tell these people they have to do this.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: That's precisely my argument, Senator, and that's why, if it were up to me, I would have no date on this. I would put the interim zoning in place so that a county, when it chose to and needed to, could adopt some interim zoning. But I recognize political reality too and that's why I thought maybe this June of next year would be a reasonable date.

SENATOR DIERKS: Well, if we talk about political reality, is this based on the politics of confinement swine building?